

**EFFECTIVE**

July 1, 2017.

**Subject(s)****BEM-546, POST-ELIGIBILITY PATIENT-PAY AMOUNTS**

Due to federal updates to spousal impoverishment, the excess shelter allowance (shelter standard) will increase to \$609/month effective July 1, 2017.

The basic allowance amount will increase to **\$2030**/month effective July 1, 2017.

*Reason:* Typographical error in item incorrectly stated the basic allowance amount will increase to **\$3030**/month effective July 1, 2017 for BPB2017-013 update.

**MANUAL  
MAINTENANCE  
INSTRUCTIONS**

**Changed Items ...**

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